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Vaccine Eligibility to Open on March 1 – School Staff & Childcare Are Now Eligible

Washington & Ozaukee Counties – Vaccine eligibility will open more widely on March 1, 2021. The WI Department of Health Services has advised local health departments and other vaccinating organizations to continue to prioritize adults aged 65 years and older, while also prioritizing those who work in education and licensed childcare facilities. The health department is working with school districts and child care providers to coordinate vaccination plans. Educators and child care workers should reach out to their employer for more information.

Due to the limited supply of vaccine, the Washington Ozaukee Public Health Department will continue to prioritize individuals 65 years and older, school staff, and licensed childcare providers. Based on the current allocation numbers, it may take an estimated two months to vaccinate school staff and child care providers. Individuals in newly eligible groups may be able to receive the vaccine elsewhere. Please refer here for a list of vaccinators in Washington and Ozaukee Counties.

If you have any questions about vaccine eligibility in Washington and Ozaukee Counties, contact the health department at 262-284-8170 or e-mail covid19@washozwi.gov.

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